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Title: Comparing Operands of Instructions Against a Replay Scoreboard to Detect an

Instruction Replay and Copying a Replay Scoreboard to an Issue Scoreboard

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RULE 312 AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed 01/05/2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows. Please amend claim 33 to correct the spelling of "scoreboard" in lines 3 and 5. The Examiner made the same correction in claim 1 in an Examiner's amendment, but forgot to do so for claim 33.

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